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Until further notice store will open at 8:30 a. m. and close at 5:30 p. m.

Boys' and Young Men's Overcoats at Reduced Prices

FOLLOWING our January custom, we offer every Overcoat remaining in stock at a reduced price, thus affording an excellent opportunity to purchase high-grade coats at a decided saving and at a time when such goods are most needed.

Boys' Long Overcoats, of all-wool materials, in black, Oxford gray, and fancy colors. Sizes 10 to 17.

Special price, \$3.95 each.
Were \$6.50 and \$7.50.

Boys' Long Overcoats, of fine all-wool mixtures. Sizes 10 to 17.

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Boys' Long Overcoats, of fine stylish mixtures, with auto and military collars and shaped lapels. Sizes 10 to 17.

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Little Boys' Reefers and Overcoats—stylish, up-to-date coats, with shaped lapels or button high at the neck; plain and fancy effects; all-wool materials and mostly woolen linings. Sizes 2½ to 12.

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Little Boys' Oxford Gray Reefers and Overcoats. Sizes 2½ to 12. A good variety from which to select.

Special price, \$3.95 each.
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Also a tableful of Boys' Suits, with knickerbocker trousers. A clearance of odds and ends of high-grade suits, in sizes 5 to 17.

Special price, \$5.00 each.
Were \$6.50 to \$11.00.

A lot of Boys' All-wool Sweaters, in gray, with colored combinations. Sizes 2½ to 18.

85c each. Were \$1.50.

Third floor—Twentieth st.

Sale of Manufacturer's Samples Traveling Bags

At 33½% Less Than Regular Prices.

WE have just closed out from the manufacturer direct a miscellaneous lot of Traveling Bags, for men and women, and shall place them on sale this morning at 33½% less than regular prices. They come from the leading maker of this particular class of goods in the country, and are strictly high-grade in every particular. Some of these have been used as samples, and some are numbers that the manufacturer is going to discontinue. Included are all the regular sizes, from 12 to 18 inch, and in all the popular leathers, including patent, cowhide, pigskin, seal, walnut, calfskin, monkey, grain, etc.

On sale this morning at prices ranging from

\$2.75 to \$13.50 each.

Basement—Equitable Bldg.

January Special Sale of Oriental Rugs.

A NUMBER of one-of-a-kind pieces, together with a large lot purchased from a prominent importer, offered at very special prices for this January Sale.

Included are soft, rich Mousouls, Shirvans, Kurdestans, Afghans, Indias, Cabistans, Sarouks, Kermanshahs, etc. These are all hand-made rugs—every one a product of the far East—including some very rare pieces. They are strictly perfect, the colorings and designs rich and attractive, and whether bought for one's own use or to add to a collection, the investment will be a very satisfactory one. Included are:

Lot of Daghestans, average 3½x5 feet—\$15.00.
Value, \$20.00.

Lot of Daghestans, average 3½x5 feet—\$17.50.
Value, \$25.00.

Lot of Cabistans, average 3½x6 feet—\$25.00.
Values, \$30 to \$35.

Lot of Fine Cabistans—\$30. Values, \$40 and \$45.

Lot of Fine Cabistans—\$35. Values, \$40 to \$50.

Lot of Fine Cabistans—\$40. Values, \$45 to \$60.

1 Afghan, size 10½x8.2—\$75. Value, \$100.

1 Afghan, size 10.3x8.3—\$100. Value, \$125.

1 Cashmere, size 9.8x6—\$55.00. Value, \$65.00.

1 Muskabod, size 10.8x8.7—\$95. Value, \$125.

1 Muskabod, size 10.6x8—\$75. Value, \$100.

1 India, size 13.10x9—\$150. Value, \$250.

1 India, size 13.8x10—\$175. Value, \$300.

1 India, size 8.3x12.1—\$150. Value, \$225.

1 Sarouk, size 13x9—\$300. Value, \$400.

1 Sarouk, size 8.4x12—\$275. Value, \$375.

1 Kermanshah, size 13x9—\$375. Value, \$500.

1 Mintez, size 12.3x9.2—\$175. Value, \$250.

1 Ghorevan, size 11.3x9.5—\$200. Value, \$275.

1 Muskabod, size 10.3x14.2—\$175. Value, \$225.

1 Bezir, size 10.5x5.7—\$65.00. Value, \$100.

Fourth floor—G st.

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IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

President and Mrs. Taft Attend Play at National

MRS. ANDERSON WITH THEM

Party Receives Demonstration Entertaining Playhouse—Many Diners Feature Evening's Gayeties—The Speaker of House and Miss Cannon Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight.

The President and Mrs. Taft, accompanied by the latter's sister, Mrs. Charles P. Anderson, of Cincinnati, and her two daughters, and Capt. Archibald Butt and Lieut. Pratt attended the performance at the New National Theater last night. There was a demonstration when the Presidential party entered the playhouse.

Former Representative and Mrs. Henry Kirk Porter entertained at dinner last evening. Among their guests were the British Ambassador and Mrs. James Bryce and Mr. Justice and Mrs. Brewer.

The German Ambassador and Countess von Bernstorff were among the dinner guests of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Beaman Winthrop, who had a large company dining with them last evening.

The Speaker of the House and Miss Cannon were the guests of honor at dinner last night of Representative and Mrs. Dwight, of New York. Those asked to meet them were Senator and Mrs. Depew, Senator Warren, Senator Burton, Representative and Mrs. Fassett, Representative and Mrs. Olmsted, Col. and Mrs. Symons, Mrs. Marcus A. Hanna, Miss Boardman, and Miss Patten.

Mr. and Mrs. George Howard entertained at dinner last evening.

The United States Minister to China and Mrs. W. J. Calhoun, who are house guests of the Secretary of War and Mrs. Dickinson, were entertained at dinner last evening by Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Pepper, who asked a distinguished company to meet them.

Mrs. and Mrs. Duncan C. Phillips entertained at a dinner dance last evening in honor of Miss Lillian Chew and her fiancé, Mr. John Upshur Morehead, who will be married next week in the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Tilden J. Coffey. Mr. Duncan Phillips will be the best man at the wedding. There were fifty dinner guests. Mr. Morehead entertained at his bachelor dinner a week ago at the Yale Club, in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Hennen Jennings had a dinner dance in their Sheridan Circle home last evening for their daughter, Miss Katherine Jennings. There were about twenty dinner guests and about 200 asked afterward for dancing.

Mme. de Meisner, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Radford, and the latter's debutante daughter, Miss Mary Radford, will hold their last "at home" of the season this afternoon, in their home in Georgetown.

Mrs. Michael J. Colbert will be at home on Tuesdays in February.

Mrs. Charles M. Pepper and her daughter, Miss Nora Rose Pepper, will be at home for the last time this season tomorrow afternoon, at 3211 Thirteenth street.

Miss Pearl Seville Houston, daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Sam Houston, was married last evening to Mr. William J. Wesseler, son of Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Wesseler, of St. Louis. The ceremony took place in the home of the bride's parents, 1411 Tenth street northwest.

Rev. William Rossin Busby, a close friend of the bride's family, officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Gertrude Houston. The best man was Mr. William J. Harris, Jr., of St. Louis, classmate of the bridegroom at the Washington University, St. Louis.

Only relatives were present at the ceremony. A reception followed in the bride's home. The bride's gown was of white satin, trimmed with rose point lace. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and bride roses. The bridesmaid wore a pink museline, with pearl and silver trimmings. Mr. and Mrs. Wesseler left on an evening train for an extended bridal trip. On their return they will reside at 1315 Clifton street.

Among the out-of-town guests present at the ceremony were Mrs. C. B. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Houston, Miss Grace Harper, of Chester, Pa., and Mr. T. E. Houston, of Elkhorn, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. William Murphy announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Isabelle K. Murphy, to Mr. James C. Naughton, of this city. The marriage will take place sometime in the early summer.

A dance will be given by Mrs. Richard Townsend on February 7.

Cards have been issued by Mr. von Stumm and Lieut. von Bruehning for a tea at their residence, 174 P street, this afternoon in celebration of the birthday of the German Emperor. Mme. von Livonius, wife of the military attaché, will act as hostess.

The marriage ceremony was performed yesterday morning at St. Thomas' Church, Falls Church, Va., for Miss Rae Smith, of Washington, and Charles Fenion, of Ballston, Va. The couple will make their home with the bridegroom's parents, in Ballston.

The military attaché of the French Embassy and Countess de Chambren will leave for Mexico on February 2.

Miss Nellie Florence Barrett and Mr. William Henry Harper were married last night, at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. Dr. Tudor. A reception followed, after which the bridal couple left for New York. On their return they will reside at 1229 Columbia road.

Miss Frances Thorn, debutante daughter of Mrs. Charles G. Thorn, acted as hostess at luncheon yesterday in honor of Miss Katherine McCook, of Pittsburg, who is visiting here. The guests invited to meet Miss McCook were Miss Calvo, daughter of the Minister of Costa Rica; Miss Alice Boutell, daughter of Representative Boutell; Miss Evelyn Carpenter, Miss Nina Knox Van Arsdale, Miss Robyn Young, Miss Marie Aldrich, Miss Cox, Miss Marie Louise Houser, Miss Anderson, Miss O'Brien, Miss Johnston, Miss Cutler, Miss Brice, Miss Walsh, and Miss Joyce, house guest of Miss Thorn.

Mrs. James W. Orme entertained at a tea Tuesday afternoon at her residence, 3317 Sixteenth street. The house was decorated with pink roses, enchantress carnations, palms, and ferns. The large

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centerpiece on the table was of carnations surrounded with pink-shaded silver candlesticks.

She was assisted in receiving by Mrs. James W. Orme, sr., Mrs. J. M. Popham, sister of the hostess; Mrs. Guy Corbett, Mrs. Joseph Hayden, Mrs. Charles A. Watson, Miss Grace Tyson, Miss Elizabeth Bradford, and Miss Elsie Blackstone.

Mrs. Orme was gowned in pale blue satin and lace with a corsage bouquet of pink sweet peas. Mrs. Orme, sr., wore black satin and jet. Mrs. Popham was in white satin and lace, and Mrs. Watson in pale yellow satin. Mrs. Orme will be at home informally on Tuesday afternoons during the rest of the season.

Miss Gladys Hinckley will leave for New York to-day for a short visit to Miss Marjory Curtis. She will be accompanied by Miss Alice Hazel and Miss Winslow, of New York, who have been in Washington as her house guests.

Cards have been issued by Miss Virginia Miller for a bridge party on Wednesday, February 2, at the club of Colonial Dames.

Mrs. George Melville Bolling has sent out invitations for a tea on Monday afternoon, February 7.

Mrs. Mary Kaufman has returned from Baltimore, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Strouse, and is again at her apartments in the Lehigh.

Mrs. F. J. Ricks has cards out for a luncheon on February 3 in compliment to Mrs. Stonewall Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mass have returned from their bridal trip and are the guests of Mrs. Mass' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baer, for a brief stay before going to their future home in Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. John F. Blair will receive this afternoon.

The reception this afternoon by Mrs. J. Eakin Gadsby will be her last "at home," except informally, during Lent. She will be assisted to-day by Mrs. Sparrow, wife of Lieut. Sparrow, U. S. N.; Miss Miller, Miss Dodge, Miss Williams, Miss Gwatkins, and Miss Berdeker.

Mrs. George Sutherland and Miss Sutherland, wife and daughter of Senator Sutherland, will receive this afternoon at the Highlands.

Mrs. George M. Pullman will be at home informally this afternoon.

Mrs. Overman, wife of Senator Overman, of North Carolina, will receive this afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock at the Hotel Cochran.

Mrs. Frederick George Berger will receive for the last time this season at the Mendota this afternoon.

Mrs. Shively, wife of Senator Shively, of Indiana, will be at home this afternoon at 1319 I street.

Mrs. Michael J. Colbert will be at home on Tuesdays in February.

Mrs. Charles Thorn and Miss Frances Thorn will receive informally this afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Mackall Owens will be at home this afternoon for the last time this season.

Mrs. George Weed Wallace will be at home on Wednesday, February 2.

Mrs. E. G. Davis and the Misses Davis will receive Saturdays, January 29 and February 5.

Mrs. Charles M. Pepper and Miss Pepper will be at home to-morrow afternoon for the last time this season.

Mrs. Julius Caesar Burroughs, wife of Senator Burroughs, of Michigan, will receive this afternoon for the last time this season. She will be assisted by her

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FORMER MAYOR DEAD

Capt. Kemper Will Be Buried Near Alexandria.

MASONS TO CONDUCT SERVICES

Native of Warrenton—Is Survived by Five Children—Became Captain at Outbreak of Civil War After Graduating from the Law Department of University of Virginia.

Capt. Kosciusko Kemper, who died early yesterday morning, at his home, 148 Girard street, will be buried to-morrow afternoon, at Rosemont, Va., the home of his son, Edward H. Kemper, auditor of the Southern Railway. Rev. J. R. Sevier, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, will officiate. The funeral will be conducted with full Masonic honors.

The active pallbearers will be Dr. T. B. Cochran, M. L. Dinwiddie, George H. Evans, J. E. Shinn, Robert W. Fuller, and Dr. Roy Adams.

The honorary pallbearers will be Col. Arthur Herbert, Capt. Herbert Bryant, Joseph W. Eggleston, of the Grand Lodge of Masons, of Virginia; E. E. Downham, of Old Dominion Commandery; H. C. Ansley, Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Masons; Col. Francis L. Smith, Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons; A. H. Barbour, Kemper Lodge; John W. Johnston, Bar Association; W. A. Smoot, Confederate Veterans; George Wise, and Dr. Arthur Snowden.

Native of Warrenton.

Capt. Kemper, who was a well-known lawyer, former mayor, corporation attorney, and superintendent of public schools in Alexandria, was seventy-four years old and a native of Warrenton, Va. He is survived by Edward H. Kemper, Kosciusko Kemper, Mrs. William M. Uhler, and Miss Sallie Kemper.

Mr. Kemper went to Alexandria in early youth and took up educational work. At the outbreak of the civil war he became captain of the heavy artillery stationed at Fort Sumter, S. C. At the close he returned to Alexandria. In 1869 he began the practice of law, having graduated from the University of Virginia. For a period of thirty-two years he was a practicing attorney.

Mayor of Alexandria.

In 1874 he was elected mayor of Alexandria, and two years later was defeated for the office by the late Dr. J. B. Johnson. He was again elected to the office in 1879 for a period of two years.

He was chosen corporation attorney of Alexandria, and under Grover Cleveland's first administration, 1885-89, held a position under Gen. Joseph E. Johnson, railroad commissioner.

He was elected to the position of superintendent of public schools in this city in 1892, and held that position until about a year ago. Mr. Kemper was prominent in Masonic circles, being past grand master of Masons of Virginia.

NO. 14 HAS GOOD TIME.

Gather Around Festive Board of Engine House.

Members and friends of Fire Engine Company No. 14 were gathered around a festive board at the engine house last night to partake of a big oyster supper, tendered to the men by James Ryan, Jr., and Edwin Goodman.

Men prominent in business were among the merry tribe and enjoyed the delicious bivalve. The evening was spent in story and jest. Capt. P. J. Hollahan welcomed the guests with his ever ready smile and the "glad hand," and acted as toastmaster.

Among those who spoke, were: Chief Engineer F. J. Wagner, John Kane, Capt. Hollahan, J. Scott, and William E. Eckstein. Besides the speakers, those present were: Assistant Chief Engineer, Lieut. Howard, Fire Marshall Nicholson, Assistant Driver Greene, Engineer Baum, C. A. Wells, J. M. Offutt, O. L. Rose, I. W.

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